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In re Patent Application of:
David M. Pangrac et al.

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Application No.: 09/748,717

Group Art Unit: 2623

Filed: December 22, 2000

Examiner: Saltarelli, Dominic D.

For: System and method for distributing information
via a communication network

REQUEST FOR REFUND

Mail Stop 16
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P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir,

We hereby request a refund for the following fees paid on February 29, 2008:

Extension of time fee for four months (§ 1.17(a)(4))	\$820
Suspension of action (§ 1.17(i))	\$130
Total	\$950

A refund is warranted per the attached Decision by the Office of Petitions, mailed on February 27, 2009. The Decision states in pertinent as follows:

“ A review the file discloses that a petition fee of \$130 and a four month extension of time were submitted on February 29, 2008. There is no fee required to file a renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b). An extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 must be filed prior to the expiration of the maximum extendable period for reply. See In re Application of S. 8 USPQ2d 1630, 1631 (Comm'r Pat. 1988). Since the \$820 extension of time fee submitted on February 29, 2008 was subsequent to the maximum extendable period for reply, petitioner may request a refund of this fee and the petition fee of \$130 by writing to the following address: Mail Stop 16, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. A copy of this decision should accompany petitioner's request.

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Please send the refund to the address indicated below.

Dated: March 6, 2009

Respectfully submitted,

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Attorney Docket No. **ADVENT001US**

DECISION ON PETITION
UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

This is a decision on the renewed petition under the unintentional provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed April 11, 2008, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application became abandoned for failure to timely file a reply within the meaning of 37 CFR 1.113 to the final Office action of October 31, 2006. The proposed reply required for consideration of a petition to revive must be a Notice of Appeal (and appeal fee required by 37 CFR 41.20(b)(2), an amendment that *prima facie* places the application in condition for allowance, a Request for Continued Examination and submission (37 CFR 1.114), or the filing of a continuing application under 37 CFR 1.53(b). See MPEP 711.03(c)(II)(A)(2). Accordingly, the date of abandonment of this application is February 1, 2007.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and fee of \$405, and the submission required by 37 CFR 1.114; (2) the petition fee of \$750; and (3) an adequate statement of unintentional delay.

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Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Monica A. Graves at (571) 272-7253.

This application is being referred to Technology Center AU 2623 for processing of the RCE and for appropriate action by the Examiner in the normal course of business on the amendment submitted in accordance with 37 CFR 1.114.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'B. Brown', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Brian W. Brown
Petitions Examiner
Office of Petitions

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. The fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is being submitted herewith. A reply to the Office Action mailed on October 31, 2006 is being concurrently submitted.

Amendment to the Claims begins on page 2

Remarks / Argument begins on page 6

Request for Extension of Time:

Applicant hereby requests under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing an Appeal Brief in the above identified application for a period of four months. The small entity fee of \$820 is being submitted herewith (37 CFR § 1.17(a)(4)).

Fee Calculation (small entity):

1. RCE fee (§ 1.17(e)).....\$405
2. Extension of time fee for four months (§ 1.17(a)(4))\$820
3. Suspension of action (§ 1.17(i)).....\$130

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